



WINNERS IN annual Strathmore FFA Livestock show, held Friday evening on the Strathmore High School football field, from top: Gary Cardoza, winner of Round Robin showmanship, and exhibitor of champion dairy ani-

mal; Mike Knutson with his champion steer; Wayne Johnson with his champion lamb; and John Cloninger with his champion hog.

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HORSEMANSHIP JUDGING FOR RODEO QUEENS

SPRINGVILLE — Candidates for queen of the Springville rodeo will be judged on horsemanship starting at 1:30 p.m., Saturday, in the Springville Rodeo arena; all interested persons are invited to attend and watch the eight girls in action.

In the contestants are: Barbara Myers and Roberta Fiorelli, from Springville; Lillian Broad, Johnni Tweedy and Shirley Gadbury, from Porterville; Sandra Lee Kimbriel, from California Hot Springs; Arvada Eggman, from Terra Bella; and Shelly Rose, from Tulare.

Queen of the annual Springville-Sierra rodeo, April 8-9, along with a first princess and a second princess, will be selected on a basis of special ticket sales and horsemanship, each category counting 50 per cent.

Announcement of the queen and princesses, also a "Miss Congeniality," elected by the contestants, will be made at a Coronation ball in the Springville Memorial building Saturday night, April 1.

In charge of the queen

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Trophies Added For Floats In Rodeo Parade

SPRINGVILLE — Trophies will be awarded for first, second and third place in the floats division of the Springville-Sierra Rodeo parade that is scheduled for 10 a.m., Saturday, April 8, through the Springville business district.

In other divisions of the parade, trophies will go to first place, and ribbons for second and third.

Parade divisions, as set up by Jim and Joyce Lambott, co-chairmen of parade arrangements, include: Bands, baton groups, baton solo, silver mounted, large mounted

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Turmoil, Confusion Mark Plans For Running Of Jackass Mail

SOMEWHERE ALONG THE TULE — Turmoil and confusion mark planning for the sixth annual running of the Jackass Mail from Porterville to Springville April 1, what with an indolent group of ex-wagon masters failing to perform their explicit duty and appoint a wagon master for the 1967 run, and what with Charlie, the Myna bird in the Mountain Lion saloon, gaining strong support for the wagon master post.

At a meeting in the Mountain Lion last Thursday night, less than nothing was accomplished in an impressive manner, except that the Myna bird received a standing ovation when mentioned as a contender for wagon master.

We Only Heard

BY BILL RODGERS

FIVE CANDIDATES for two seats on the Porterville city council: How do you decide for whom you will vote?

AFTER EIGHT years on the city council, and after twice that long watching and writing about city councils, we suggest that motive, background in various community activities, business experience, and general political philosophies are perhaps the most important factors to consider when appraising an individual candidate.

IF YOU can figure a man's motives, then you know that man, and you can quite accurately judge what his thinking and his general action will be as an elected official. To honestly represent "the people", a city councilman must think first in terms of "the people", not in terms of his own personal gain. If you believe that a candidate is more interested in personal profit that might accrue from his position on the city council than in serving the interests of his city and its people, there is no need to further consider that candidate... We believe that motive will emerge as an important issue in the current city election campaign.

HOW DO you determine motive? If you have had business dealings with a candidate, or if you know the candidate personally, you no doubt have already formed an opinion in this area. If you have had no personal contact, then look at the record. Has the candidate been active in community affairs? Has he worked in the chamber of commerce or on city committees, or in affairs of a community nature? Has his personal effort, over a period of years, been directed toward worthwhile community enterprises in addition to his own business? When the candidate says, as they all do, "I want to work for you and for our city," does the record show by his previous activities that he really does want to work for the people and for his

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Assessor Speaker For Farm Center

PORTERVILLE — County Assessor Herman Matney will speak tonight, Thursday, at a dinner meeting of the Porterville Farm Bureau Center in the Paul Bunyan restaurant; a steak dinner will be served at 6:30 p.m. Also speaking will be Walter Caskey, president of the Tulare County Property Owners association.

LEMON HOUSE CONSTRUCTION IS PLANNED

PORTERVILLE — Construction of a new lemon packing house is now being considered by the Tulare County Lemon association in Porterville, and it is likely that the new facility will be in operation by September of 1969.

Lemon association directors, headed by Nelson Cairns, have authorized Manager Frank Graham to negotiate for a site along the Santa Fe or Southern Pacific railroads. Probably the new plant will be constructed inside the city of Porterville.

The Tulare County Lemon association house is now located at Grevilla and Locust at the southeast edge of Porterville. The new plant, that will incorporate the latest and most efficient equipment, is expected to cost about a half million dollars.

Enough new lemon acreage is now "in the ground" in the southern Tulare County area to make new packing house construction an economically sound proposition, it is stated, in fact, with new producing lemon acreage coming on, new facilities are virtually a "must" for the lemon association.

Dusek Named Director Of Porterville Fair

PORTERVILLE — Bob Dusek, manager of Josten's in Porterville, has been named to the board of directors of the Porterville fair to replace Lloyd Rider, who has resigned.

The appointment was made at a meeting of directors Monday night in the Edison company building. Dusek will represent the Porterville chamber of commerce on the fair board - bylaws of the non-profit fair corporation provide that the chamber is to be so represented. Dusek is also a director of the chamber of commerce.

In other business of the directors' meeting, pointing toward staging of the 20th annual Porterville fair

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TRAIL MACHINE POLICY MEETING THIS MORNING

PORTERVILLE — Meeting to receive views of the public on proposed trail machine regulations in Sequoia and Inyo National forests is being held this morning, Thursday, at the Porterville city hall, starting at 9:30 a.m.

All views and comments previously received will be considered and need not be presented again, according to Lawrence Whitfield, supervisor of the Sequoia National forest, and Joe Radel, supervisor of the Inyo National forest.

The meeting this morn-

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HORSEMANSHIP

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contest is Mrs. Carol Sorensen, of Springville, who states that the girl selected as queen will receive \$100, a crown and a trophy. The princesses will receive a trophy; all girls retain 25 per cent of the money they receive from sale of special tickets.

Added attraction for both the horsemanship contest and the world championship, professional Springville-Sierra rodeo, will be the surrounding Sierra foothills, and the high, snow-covered mountains, that will form a most colorful backdrop this year for these events.

JACKASS MAIL

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one point: The Myna bird must go, whether it be by poison, gun shot, neck-wringing, or a stray Tom cat in the bird cage.

There are cooler heads connected with the Jackass Mail, however, such as Allan Coates, manager of the Porterville chamber of commerce, and Jess Dismuke, president of the Springville chamber of commerce.

They state with authority that persons who want to ride a wagon on the mail run must make arrangements for their wagon at the office of the Porterville chamber of commerce.

Wagons and teams are available for hire, however, the deal must be pin-

ned down without delay so that horses can be shod and gotten in shape.

The Jackass Mail committee will not provide wagons, nor seats on wagons, for the general public this year.

Horseback riders are invited to trail along with the Mail, however, in true tradition of the old west, they do so at their own risk and their own volition.

Jackass Mail stamps are on sale at the Porterville chamber of commerce office, and in various emporiums at Springville.

Tulare County Cow Belles will serve a barbecue beef and beans lunch to riders with the Mail, and to all others who care to drop by. Location of the lunch site has not been pinned down as yet, but it will be in the vicinity of the Tule river crossing of the 190 trail.

Dismuke reports that Springville is preparing a stupendous welcome for cousins from the flatland, and that annual fish fry, featuring Tule river catfish, will be served shortly after the Mail pulls into Springville. Other festivities are also being planned.

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Editorial Comment**ABOUT KIDS, AS SEEN BY THE WEST VIRGINIA HILLBILLY**

Our good friend, Buck Shaffer, often brings in copies of a publication right out of his old home country — the West Virginia Hillbilly. This publication is most entertaining, and its humor, its historical articles and its editorial philosophies are wonderful. Take for instance the following, from a column called The Comstock Load, entitled, "To Spark and to Praise":

We kid ourselves a lot about kids. Actually a kid is just as good as his parents will let him be and just as bad as they will make him. Nothing more, nothing less. Two days after the Harvard students did to their guest Secretary McNamara what they all should have been called home for, not sent, Vice President Humphrey was on the Mike Douglas television show and his rapture for American youth knew no bounds. They are wonderful, he oozed, there's nothing like them. Oh, they might get out of bounds a little, and they do like to fight injustice and all that, but fundamentally they are made of the stuff that made the Veep almost weep. Nuts. If ever American youth needed spanking they did there and then, and they needed to be told that the only great American right is performance of duty as one sees duty and as it has been ingrained by tradition and convention. The only rights that a student is entitled to is the right to learn and then when he is out on his own and off the check-book of grinding-stone nosed parents, he can exert rights all he wants. Rights begin with the diploma for youth, and the ones who aren't bothering to get a diploma will have to wait longer.

Rights and freedom are the inalienable possessions of those who have earned them, who have learned their values, and who will cherish them. And that is what the kid should be taught at home and in school. No laboring man has a right to strike for higher wages who hasn't given all he has to the job. No one has a right to strike for equality who hasn't tried to be equal to the country's best citizen inside. No kid has a right to an education who doesn't do all within his power to lighten the burden of those who give it. No man has a right to vote who hasn't tried to improve society.

Children brought up on candy instead of vegetables are sickly; so are they who are brought up on rights instead of a sense of obligation. Children unconsciously cry out for direction and guidance and discipline, and when denied, they follow their own immature bent. They are like water which is held only by strong banks. If an adult can be forced by a government to pay taxes, then a child must be forced to pay compliance with tested conduct.

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years. Doris says that "other interests outside the publication field create the need for this sale."

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Campbell And Kurihara Named To Fair Board

SACRAMENTO -- Hal Campbell, of Porterville, and Don Kurihara, of Orosi, have been appointed to the board of directors of the 24th District Agricultural association, commonly called the Tulare County fair board.

The appointment by Governor Ronald Reagan was announced by State Senator Howard Way. They replace Ed. Merzoian, of Visalia, and Sam Miller, of Lindsay, whose terms have expired.

BOYS GOING ON YMCA SURFAARI

PORTERVILLE - Steve Sunderland, David Hensel and Richard Bremer will be going on a YMCA Surfaari to the Pacific coast during the Easter vacation. Don Lusk, YMCA program director in Porterville, states that there is still plenty of room for more boys in the 7th, 8th and 9th grades on the seven-day outing. Signups are being taken at the YMCA office in Porterville, 165 E. Putnam.

About 80 per cent of the world's animal life lives in the ocean.

OLD DAYS PHOTO BRINGS MANY RESPONSES

Information has been pouring in from folks in the Springville area since we asked about the "Camp Lookout" photo we ran last week under "Old Days."

Camp Lookout was located up the Frazier Grade road and is now the Ed Bace place. The camp was the home of Benjamin Franklin Harper, and the site was also known as Harper's Point and Harper's Lookout.

Not much is recalled about Harper, except that he was an old man when he first came into the country (he is standing in the doorway in the photo we ran last week) and he claimed that his wife had tried to poison him, so he left her and headed for the mountains.

Joe McDonald and Frank Negus, of Springville, say that Harper made a living raising apples and berries; McDonald, as a boy, recalls that Harper stopped for lunch at the McDonald home when he walked to and from Porterville. McDonald also recalls that Andy Hoover bought the place from Harper, then later sold to Charlie Elster.

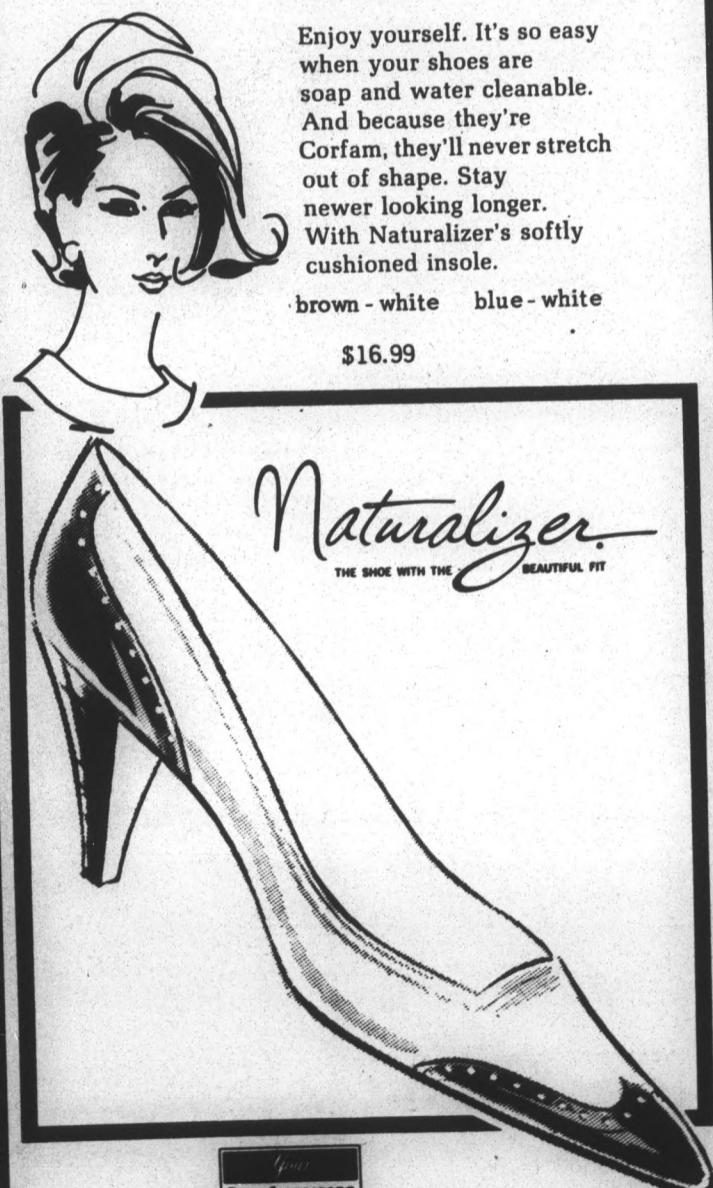
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The Old Days



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elers now is, and included both a lunch counter and a saloon. Seated at the counter, from left, are Harry Sickles and R. J. Zajicek; behind the counter are _____ Zeigler, a bartender; "Doc" Butts, dishwasher;

and Lee Evans, bartender. The three men standing at left are unidentified; if you know any of them, please give The Farm Tribune or Edwards Studio a call.

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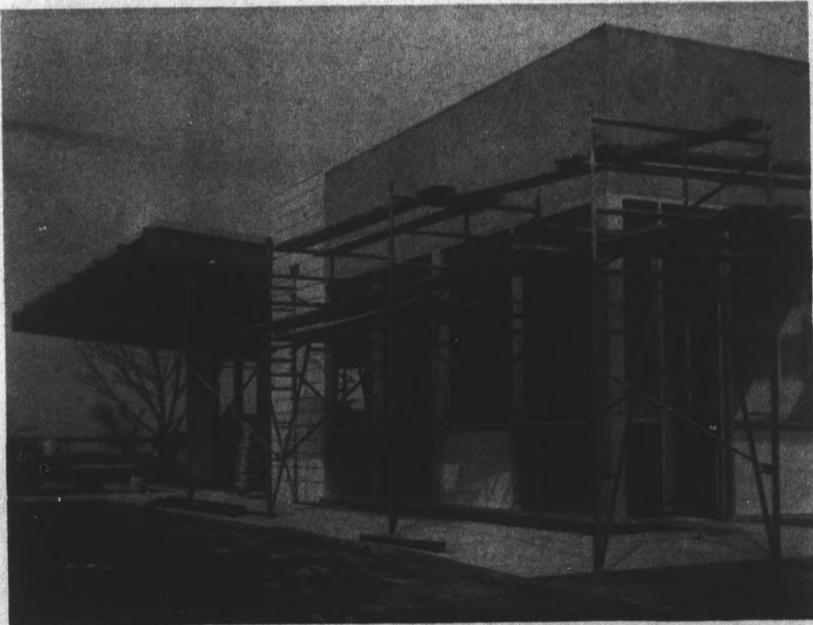
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A New Surge Of Aviation Interest Is Evident At The Porterville Airport, What With Spring In The Air, And Air-Minded Families Taking To The Air. A Number Of Porterville-Area People Have Learned To Fly In Recent Months — Bill Schaeffer, Mac Williams, Bob Taylor, Dale Robinson, Agnes Moench, Earl Merrit And Bill Robinson at Coe's Flying Service; And Ben Cannella, Judy Gill, Doug Hammond, Betty Gervais, Vern Pettit, Ted Faggart and Virgie Lee at Ray's Aircraft Service. And More Are Learning — In Both Fixed-Wing Planes And Helicopters. Forty-two Aircraft Are Based On The Field And There Is New Life In The Porterville Area Pilots' Association. In The Past Year There Has Been Considerable Development Of Commercial Enterprises — A New Hangar Constructed By Fred Wahl; Rapid Expansion of Sierra Aviation; Office Space Built Onto M & W Flying Service; Improvements At The Federal and State Governments' Aerial Fire Fighting Base; The Establishing Of Porterville Charters By Clyde Tatman; The Expanding Of Services By Coe Flying Service; and Planned Expansion Of Ray's Aircraft Service . . . And There Is Plenty Of Room On The Porterville Airport For More Family Flying Fun, and Commercial Operations.

Moonlight Flight Coming Up June 24 - 25

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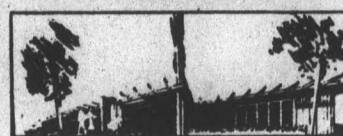


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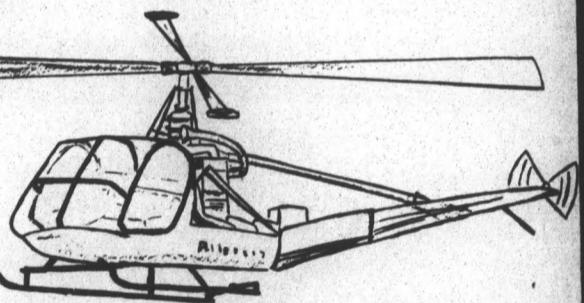
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OUR TOWN

By Ruth Loyd

Was it a bird? Was it a plane? Was it Batman? Oh no Luv, it was Mac Williams. Mac did his first solo, by plane, at the airport last week. Now it's Ginger's turn. Can't you just see them in their twin Piper flying all over the country? I'm very jealous, and Mac is very happy. Such is life.

Al Weaver flagged me down the other day while I was creeping down Main street, and told me the

From
Daybell
Nursery
By John

Plant terms seem to create so much confusion that we thought the following would help everyone better understand the language of plants.

ANNUAL - Plant which dies before it is paid for. Term is derived from expression "annual budget" which also disappears before year is up.

PERENNIAL - Plant which dies after it is paid for.

BIENNIAL - Bi, as in bicycle, means two. Refers to plant which dies after two years of loving care. Presumably it has been paid for.

BROADCAST APPLICATION - Using and applying garden information heard on the radio.

DIRECT APPLICATION - Using and applying garden information your wife has heard on the radio.

BROAD-LEAFED PLANTS - The fig is one.

DROUGHT - A symptom developing in male gardeners and caused by wife locking refrigerator.

EMERGENCE - Husband forced out into sun by wife.

POST-EMERGENCE TREATMENT - Treatment husband receives after emergence.

GERMINATION - Early stages of idea husband has to avoid working in yard.

HERBICIDE - Crime of killing your neighbor HERB after he wrecks your riding mower.

PESTICIDE - Act of eliminating neighbors kids for same reason.

SOIL PERSISTANCE - Dirt on hands.

RATE OF DOSAGE - Refers to the amount of active ingredient material applied to a unit area regardless of the percentage in carrier. Briefly the number of beers required to do the job.

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And have you heard of the Elemations? That's the name, but they changed it to the Shades of Night. A way-out band at the high school. Mod to the hilt. Last Friday they played for the school dance in the Girls gym, and they were quite a sensation. Kirk Rowland sings and the rest make beautiful music. Their favorite is a little something called, "You Can't Sit Down". A lovely lilting song no doubt. Pat Shires, Leland Cox, Mike Landsford, and Larry Torigian and of course Kirk Rowland. The girls were quite excited about the mod costumes they wore. Checkered slacks and vests and yellow shirts. I asked my favorite high school reporter if the boys had long hair and she was quite insulted. "They don't need long hair. They're good." The parents of the band can't wait for their turn to have the boys practice at their houses. It makes for such a quiet evening. Frances Torigian is com-

posing a song for them to sing. "Music to give Ruth Loyd Tickets By."

Helen Battles baked a chocolate cake. When noon time came to the high school cafeteria she presented it to Susie Lusk. Susie was sweet sixteen, and the whole student body helped sing Happy Birthday to her. Not many girls are lucky enough to have a friend who can bake chocolate cakes.

At the high school the "in" thing is to have a "wet look". The very fashionable new rain coats the girls wear. Vinyl prints of all kinds of lovely colors. A far cry from the middle blouses I used to be required to wear. And black bloomers yet. Ugh.

Janie Shelton collects pierced ear earrings. Has a wonderful collection. She only wears one set at a time tho.

Happiness is having a reporter from the high school help me. I'll let him use my Farm Tribune pencil sometime. Nothing happens at the college. At least the person who was going to keep me informed about the college didn't report. Thanks S.S.

National Wildlife week will be observed March 19-25.



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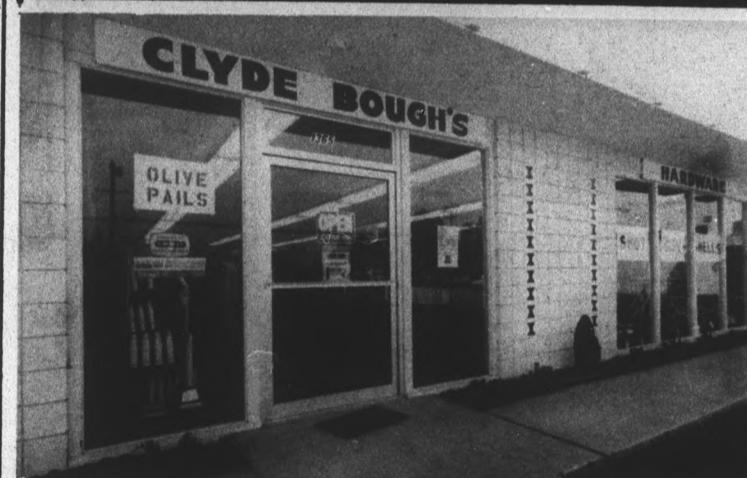
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TRAIL MACHINE

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ing, it is started, is the final step to insure that all views get into the record before a final decision on trail machines in the forests is made. The question of trail machine regulation has been under consideration for two years.

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Prairie Center 4-H Big Winner At County Wide Demonstration Day

PRAIRIE CENTER - Sixteen demonstrations, involving 19 members, were presented by the Prairie Center 4-H club at county-wide demonstration field day held Saturday at Exeter, with six members rating gold seals and pins.

Top six winners were: Gail Ann Ward, with "Don't Be A Donkey's Tail..... Always Behind;" Carol Lee, with "Law and Order;" Gary Santos, with "Which War;" Nancy Lee, with "The Rule of Fourteen;" and Diane and Linda Della, with "Optical Illusions and the Dressmaker."

These county winners will compete in a regional demonstration field day to be held at Clovis, April 8.

Blue seal winners from Prairie Center included Barbara Hansen, Johnnie Kranc, Vicki Van Hooser; Norma Hiltz, Charolette McCowan, and Jeffery Meik.

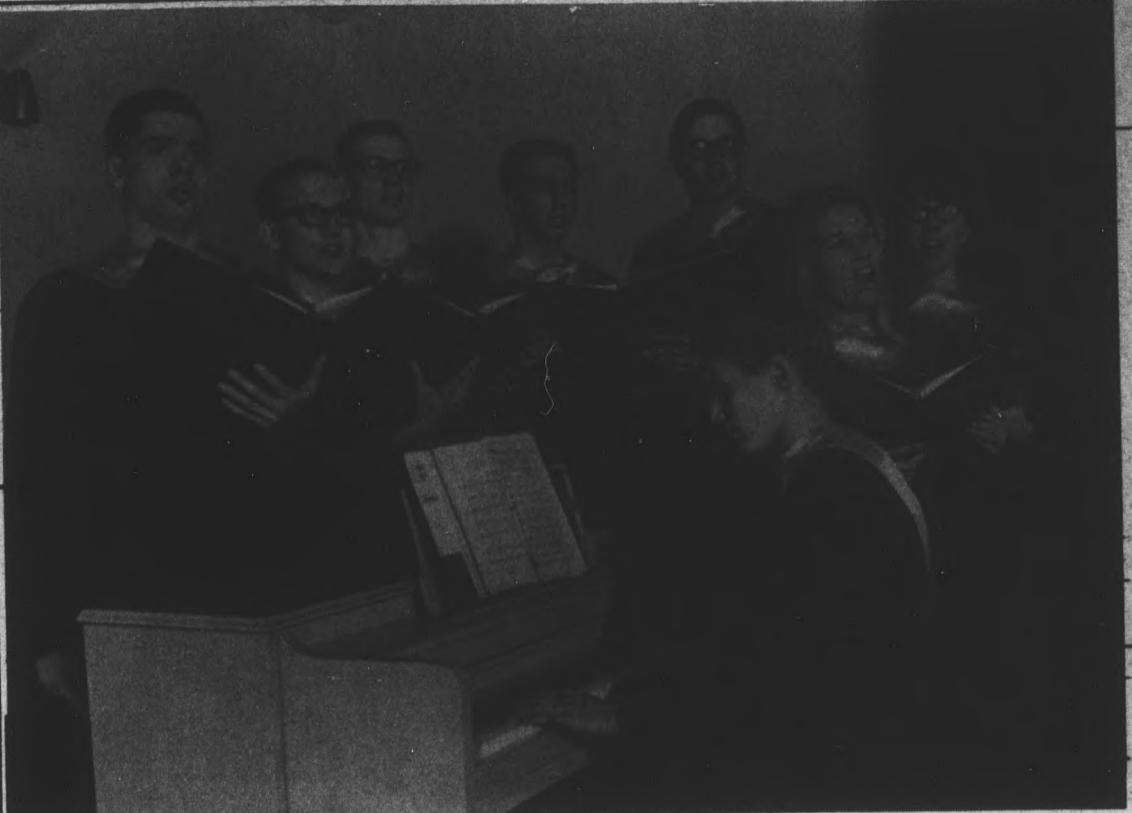
Red seal winner was

Matthew Meik; green awards went to Michael and Kevin Noell, Georgetta Zickert, Leanne McCrillis, and Connie Tiderman.

Demonstration advisor for the club is Mrs. Eldon Meik. As an entertainment feature of the field day, Prairie Center club members presented their "Around The World With 4-H," a musical that won the club a gold seal in the Tulare County 4-H Talent show last December.

BAKER NAMED TO COTTON BOARD

FRESNO - Harry S. Baker of Fresno, President of Producers Cotton Oil Company has been named to the 20 man national board which will administer the new grower financed cotton research and promotion program. Also named to the board is Russell Kennedy, of Bakersfield, general manager of Calcot.



A CAPELLA choir of California Concordia college, Oakland, under the direction of Robert Wunderlich, will present a concert of sacred music at Zion Lutheran Church, Ave. 104 & Road 256, Terra Bella, Wednesday evening, March 22, at 8:00 p.m. The program will include a wide variety of choral music, including choruses and

motets in traditional styles by Schuetz, Bach, Brahms, and Kalinikoff, and contemporary motets by Hugo Distler, Jand Bender, and Harald Rohlig. Every member of the choir is studying for full-time professional service in the Lutheran church as pastors, teachers, or deaconesses. Prof. Wunderlich

grew up in Los Angeles and Orange counties, where his father was a Lutheran teacher and church musician. On this tour the Concordia Choir will sing in two of the churches where he was a member. There will be no charge for admission; a free-will offering will be received.

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Money Appropriated For Channel Work In Tule River At Springville

SPRINGVILLE - U.S. Army Engineers in Sacramento will award a \$103,554 contract for clearing and restoration of the Tule river channel from a mile above to a mile below Springville, repairing damage created by the December, 1966, flood.

Announcement of approval of project funds by the department of emergency planning in Washington, D.C., under Public Law 875 came from Congressman Bob Mathias. A \$181,154 appropriation has been approved for work on Kern river in the vicinity of Kernville.

Work at Springville will consist of moving granite boulders and other

material against the washed-out west bank of the river at Springville to provide protection to the bank and to buildings along the bank, in addition to restoring the river channel to its location prior to the flood.

GLENN EDWARDS IS SPEAKER

POTTERVILLE - Glenn Edwards, Porterville photographer, will be one of six principal speakers at a three-day meeting of the Arizona association of the Professional Photographers of America at the Del Webb Townhouse in Phoenix, April 1-2-3. His subject will be "Small Town Photography."

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Time Out

By Davis Harp

TODD PIXLER LOOKS GREAT AS FRESHMAN AT OCCIDENTAL

You sometimes wonder what happened to them. One thing for sure, the mortality rate is high. The star high school athlete blazes his way across the sports page for two or three years and then, zap, they seem to disappear. The next time you see him he is pushing the baby stroller in the hardware store and shopping for a lawn mower, which is fine, 'cause someone has to cut the grass. What I mean, only a very few athletes can make the big time.

Porterville has had some fine athletes in the past few years. Maury Talbot left PUHS, and Porterville college, to become one of the greatest shooters in Fresno State college basketball history. Mark Gartung mauled opposing linemen in high school and at PC and has become a top prospect for pro football at Oregon. Troy Cox and Bill Nicholson played together on a great Panther team and will be heard from at the University of California and Stanford.

Todd Pixler is the latest PUHS star to make his mark in the world of Collegiate athletics. Todd is probably the most versatile trackman in PUHS history.

When you start talking about "the best in the history of etc., etc." you can always get an argument. You can always find someone who remembers when ol' Wesley Chaindrive ran a 19 flat 220 in the rain while he was wearing cowboy boots, and nursing a case of the shinsplints.

If you want to know about Todd Pixler go check the

Porterville high school records in track. His name is written all over it from "C" through "A" class.

Pixler is a member of the Occidental College freshman track team this year and has taken his versatility with him. Two weeks ago in a frosh meet with Mt. San Antonio college, one of the great powers in junior college track, Todd took the 100 yard dash in 9.8 seconds and turned the 220 in 21.8 to win the sprint double. He finished the day by anchoring the Oxy relay team to a win that gave them an 89-88 decision over the Mt. San Antonio team. It was the first time that the Oxy frosh had beaten the powerful Mt. Sac team in track.

The Porterville youngster does about everything. As a senior at PUHS he turned in a 48.4 timing in the 440, 21.4 in the 220, 19.3 in the low hurdles and had a mark of 22 feet 8 inches in the long jump.

Todd hasn't make it to the Olympics, but he has made a beginning.

Orange Crop Above Average

SACRAMENTO - Forecast for California Naval and miscellaneous oranges continues at 17,000,000 boxes, according to the California Crop and Livestock Reporting service. This is 11 per cent below last season, but 41 per cent above average. Valencia orange forecast continues at 18,000,000 boxes, one per cent above last year and 15 per cent above average.

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Hay Fever, Spring Fever, the vernal equinox is upon us. Easter, 1/2 Sale, Mother's Day, Graduation and Father's Day. Makes summer seem like the promised land. Hurry, hurry to rest.

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Superior Court of the State of California
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No. 19028

Estate of **HARRY MERTZMANN**, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the creditors of the above named decedent that all persons having claims against the said decedent are required to file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the clerk of the above entitled court, or to present them, with the necessary vouchers, to the undersigned at the law offices of Hubler, Burford, Moran & Quirk, 141 East Mill Avenue, Porterville, California, which is the place of business of the undersigned in all matters pertaining to the estate of said decedent, within six months after the first publication of this notice.

MATTIE MERTZMANN, Executrix of the Will of the above named decedent.

Dated February 9, 1967.
Hubler, Burford, Moran & Quirk
Attorneys at Law
141 East Mill Avenue
Porterville, California, 93257
Telephone: (209) 784-5064
Attorneys for Executrix

First publication: February 16, 1967.
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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Superior Court of the State of California
For the County of Tulare
No. 19052

Estate of **FRANKLIN H. HORNBROOK**, also known as Franklin Henry Hornbrook, Frank Hornbrook, Franklin Hornbrook and F. H. Hornbrook, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the creditors of the above named decedent that all persons having claims against the said decedent are required to file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the clerk of the above entitled court, or to present them, with the necessary vouchers, to the undersigned at the law offices of Hubler, Burford, Moran & Quirk, 141 East Mill Avenue, Porterville, California, which is the place of business of the undersigned in all matters pertaining to the estate of said decedent, within six months after the first publication of this notice.

BLANCHE I. HORNBROOK, Executrix of the Will of the above named decedent.

Dated February 21, 1967.
Hubler, Burford, Moran & Quirk
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Attorneys for Executrix

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NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

LOAN # 3546

On March 31, 1967, at 11:00 o'clock A.M. at the front entrance of Title Insurance and Trust Company located at 443 North Main Street in the City of Porterville, California, Louis Wm. Ardouin and Howard J. Frame, as Trustees under a deed of trust dated January 2, 1962 and recorded January 9, 1962 in Book 2310, Page 531, Document #1155 of Official Records of Tulare County, California, given to secure an indebtedness in favor of The United Savings and Loan Association, a California corporation, by reason of the breach of certain obligations secured thereby, notice of which was recorded November 9, 1966, in Book 2683, Page 95 of Official Records, will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash payable in lawful money of the United States at the time of sale, without warranty as to title, possession or encumbrance, the interest conveyed to and now held by said Trustees under said deed of trust, in County of Tulare, State of California, to wit:

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for the purpose of paying obligations secured by said deed of trust, including fees, charges and expenses of the Trustees, advances, if any, under the terms of said deed of trust, interest thereon and \$563.33 in unpaid principal of the note secured by said deed of trust with interest thereon from July 1, 1966 as in said note and by law provided.

The undersigned has been duly appointed and substituted the trustee under said deed of trust in place and stead of Louis Wm. Ardouin.

Dated February 27, 1967.

(SEAL)

By A. T. WARDEN
Trustee

By HOWARD J. FRAME
Trustee

STATE OF CALIFORNIA) ss.

COUNTY OF TULARE)

On February 27, 1967, before me, the undersigned, Notary Public in and for said County and State, personally appeared A. T. Warden and Howard J. Frame, known to me to be the persons whose names are subscribed to the within instrument, and acknowledged to me that they executed same.

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Porterville**TROPHIES**(Continued From Page 1)
groups, small mounted groups, mounted pairs, individual riders, and horseless carriages.

The parade will open Springville's rodeo weekend that will feature RCA-approved, world championship rodeo competition in the Springville rodeo arena the afternoons of April 8 and April 9.

In addition, program will feature annual Western dance the evening of April 8, and a Queen's Coronation ball the evening of April 1.

All persons entering the Springville parade will receive passes for the April 8 performance of the rodeo.

Groups or individuals desiring to enter the parade should contact Jim and Joyce Lambott, P. O. Box 435, phone 539-2213, Springville.

ABALONE SEASON OPENS TODAY

SACRAMENTO — California sportfishing season on abalones opens today and will continue through next January 14. Bag limit is five abalones; a sportfishing license is required.

The Farm Tribune BILLBOARD

March

16—Trail Machine Policy Meeting

17-18—"Glass Menagerie" At Porterville College

18—Horsemanship Judging, Springville Rodeo Queen Candidates

28—Election, Porterville and Terra Bella Memorial Districts

30-31—"Kiss Me Kate" at College

April

1—Springville Rodeo Queen Coronation Ball

1—6th Running of the Jackass Mail

1-7-8—"Kiss Me Kate" at College

4—Porterville City Election

8-9—Springville Rodeo

15—Community Concert, Albert Tipton Trio

15-23—Lindsay Orange Blossom Festival

18—PUHS Tax Override Election

May

6-7—Porterville Rodeo

15—So. Tul. Co. Sportsmen Assn. Barbecue

18-19-20—Porterville Fair

26—Tulare County Chamber of Commerce Banquet

June

24-25—Moonlight Flight, Porterville Fly-in

STURGEON STOCKED IN LAKE HAVASU

SACRAMENTO — North America's biggest freshwater game fish, the sturgeon, has been stocked in Lake Havasu, along the Colorado river, on an experimental basis. This fish are slow growing but may reach lengths of nine feet or more, and may live as long as 100 years.

Thursday, March 16, 1967

We Only Heard

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city? If he really does, the fact will be strongly indicated by his community efforts prior to the time that he announced his candidacy.

NOT MANY people who run for city council have had much experience in administration of governmental functions, but if they have served in various public activities, over a period of time, they will have acquired a "feeling" for the community. With this "feel of the community," and with a sincere attitude toward public service, it is not difficult for them to move into public policy-making - and public policy-making is the basic job of a city councilman.

OF COURSE, business experience is extremely important. Public business, in some respects, is different than private business, but the principles of, for instance, sound fiscal policy and sound judgement are no different in public business than in private business. It is our opinion that a prime qualification for a city councilman is background experience in earning a living in a private business or profession. The person who has always been on a payroll is less qualified for a council seat than is the person who has been meeting payrolls and successfully operating a private enterprise.

SO, LET'S say we have a candidate whose motive is public service, whose

background includes extensive community work, and whose business has prospered. Is he the best council candidate? Not necessarily, for basic political philosophy must be considered. And how do you appraise a candidate's basic philosophy? Well, you can ask him, you can listen to what he says about specific issues, you can read his platform, you can again look at the record, the record of his past political activities and associations. If his "politics" is essentially the same as yours, then he's your man. If his "politics" is essentially opposed to yours, then he is not your man, even though he has the other qualifications.

ADD TO all this an ap-

praisal of a candidate's hide. If he does not have a tough hide, he is not the man for the office.

NOW, LET'S assume that you take the upcoming Porterville city election seriously, as you should. Let's assume you do appraise the five candidates on the basis we suggest, or on some other logical basis. We would guess that you will not come up with the "perfect" candidate. No one candidate will be 100 per cent good or bad when you add up his qualifications or lack of qualifications. Your final choice must be made on a basis of who you consider the best man that is available to you.

Classified Ads Bring Results**DUSEK**

(Continued From Page 1)

May 18, 19 and 20, Emmy Kibler, of Springville, who heads up the fair's 4-H horse show, announced that Niels Hvass, of Delano will judge the show; Dorothy Dye, of Springville, will serve as ring steward; and Virginia Yandell, of Porterville, will announce the show.

This 4-H event for members with horse projects, will get underway at 8 a.m., Friday, May 19, in the fair's horse show arena. Mrs. Kibler is arranging for a number of trophies that will be presented in the arena as the 13 classes of the show are completed.

In other business, directors put final approval on changes in the 1967 premium book, which is now in the hands of the printer, and discussed other general items relating to the fair.

Approval was also given for cross-ventilation of the main exhibit building by opening the gable ends of the building.

Exhibits Superintendent Cooper Smith reported that commercial exhibit space sale is going well, and called to attention the theme of the 1967 fair, "Pageant Of Progress - 1947-1967."

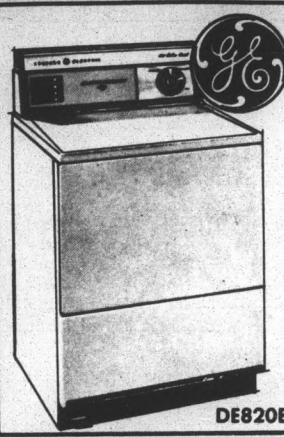
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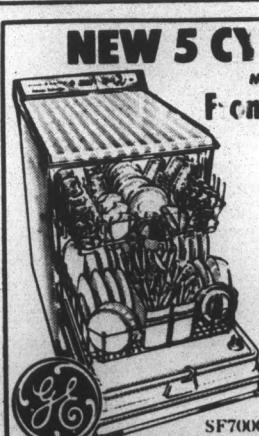
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